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In U.S. Application of:

Applicant(s): Masakazu Taguchi

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Extension fee for response within first month:

- () By a small entity (1.9(f)) \$ 55.00
(X) By other than a small entity \$ 110.00

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- () By a small entity (1.9(f)) \$ 210.00
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- () By a small entity (1.9(f)) \$ 740.00
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- () By a small entity (1.9(f)) \$ 1,005.00
() By other than a small entity \$ 2,010.00

(X) A check in the amount of \$ 110.00 is enclosed.

- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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